1.0 Function

1.1 The primary function of student health services is to contribute toward the educational aims of students by promoting their physical and emotional well being. (Title 5, § 54702)

1.2 The Vice President of Student Services at each college has the overall responsibility for the administration and supervision of the Student Health Services Program.

2.0 Service

2.1 Each health center will provide, within the College’s capability to do so, health services to include, but not limited to:

2.1.1 Emergency first aid and rest area for students or staff in case of accident or sudden illness;

2.1.2 primary medical care provided directly or indirectly through referrals, oriented toward the promotion and maintenance of health and prevention of disease;

2.1.3 health appraisals and evaluations of students and staff through nursing diagnosis and the use of appropriate evaluative techniques including, but not limited to, vision and hearing screening, blood pressure measurement, and tuberculosis skin testing;

2.1.4 health education and health counseling aimed at promoting students' ability to maintain total physical, social, and mental health, and preparing students to be knowledgeable consumers of health care;

2.1.5 environmental health and safety including maintenance of procedures for the control of communicable disease; coordination of campus first aid program; serve as a resource to campus safety committee in emergency disaster planning; assist in the provision of a safe and healthful environment by identifying hazards and recommending improvements to the Vice President of Administrative Services;

2.1.6 assistance to students with disabilities to facilitate access to special services, parking permits for disabled persons and adaptive P.E. and to assist with interpretation of health related information;

2.1.7 information regarding health and accident insurance plans provided or sponsored by the District, and assisting students in filing claims;

2.1.8 health education and consultation to the College community through
provision of classroom presentations, written materials, and special health programs.